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Constantinople, November 19.

THE Court arrived here from Adrianople about three Weeks ago, to the great Satisfaction of the Inhabitants of this City, who suffered much by its Absence. A Druggerman from Poland, who arrived at Adrianople some time ago, followed the Court hither, and took upon him the Character of Consul; but as the Port has never yet allowed the King of Poland to keep any publick Person here in constant Residence, they have sent him away again, and the rather becauſe he demanded to be defrayed by the Grand Signior. It was formerly adviſed from hence, that the Waywod of Walachia, who was taken Priſoner by the Germans in the late War, was promiſed to be reinſtated in that Principality; but ſince that, his Brother, who officiated in his Room during his Impriſonment, has by his Intrigues got himſelf confirmed. The Dutch Ambaſſadour arrived here from Paſſarowitz ſome Weeks ago. The Turkiſh Fleet is come into Port.

Venice, Jan. 14. On the 8th Inſtant arrived here the two Men of War called the Triumph and Madonna della Salute, commanded by the Captain Extraordinary of the Fleet Sig. Diedo, who has been very ill of a Fever, but is in a Way of Recovery. He is gone with all his Domeſticks, Officers and Paſſengers, to the old Lazaretto, to perform Quarantain; the Corps of the late Captain General Piſani is alſo depoſited there for the preſent. On the 10th Inſtant in the Morning was performed in the Church of Madonna della Salute, the Ceremony of Offering to the bleſſed Virgin, and hanging up near the High Altar, a Turkiſh Standard and Horſe-Tail, given by the Family of Piſani to that Church. The ſame Morning the Carnaval was opened by Order of the Senate, in the uſual Manner, the carrying of Arms privately being forbidden under the moſt rigorous Penalties. About 1000 Soldiers, Griſons and Swiſs, who had performed Quarantain at the Lido, were Yeſterday embarked to be tranſported to Verona, where they will be disbanded and ſent home. On the 8th Inſtant General Schuylemburg went from hence to view the Garriſons of Verona and Breſcia; and after he has made a Reform among the Cavalry, he is to return hither about the End of this Month. It is adviſed from Corfu, that by Order from hence the Intendant of the Magazines there has been put under Arreſt, for Frauds committed in the Diſcharge of his Office; alſo four Captains of Men of War there are put under Confinement, for having clandeſtinely ſold the publick Stores. Laſt Sunday Evening an Earthquake was felt in this City, by which ſome Chimneys were thrown down, but no other Damage was done: The Shock was moſt felt at the Opera and Play-Houſe, where the Performers and Actors let fall the Curtains, and the Company ran out. We have ſince Advice from Friuli, that the Earthquake was more violent there than in other Parts, having thrown down ſeveral Churches and Houſes.

Leghorne, Jan. 13. Since Sir George Byng ordered ſome Frigates to cruize upon this Coaſt, the Spaniſh Privateers have diſappeared, and we have not heard of their taking any Prizes of late. Several Britiſh Merchant-Ships are ſafely arrived here this Week. We have Advice, that the three Regiments of Imperial Infantry of Wirtemberg, Traun and Holſtein Beck, continue their March through the Eccleſiaſtical State for Naples.

Bruſſels, Jan. 21. M. Steinghens, Privy-Counſellour to the Elector Palatine, who formerly reſided at London, being made Intendant of the Lordſhip of Rouſſelaer, and of the Diſtrict of Winnendale in Flanders, is come to reſide in this Town, with the Character of Envoy from his Highneſs the Elector Palatine. The Deputies of the States of Flanders, who came hither to make a Repreſentation on ſome Affairs relating to the Barrier Treaty, will have their Audience of Leave of the Marquis de Prié on the 28th Inſtant. Yeſterday the Garriſons of the chief Fortified Places in theſe Provinces, began to march, in order to be changed, and to relieve each other, viz. the Regiment